

Thank you from the Editors

The Victorian Naturalist could not be published, and would not be successful without the enormous amount of time and effort given voluntarily by a large number of people who work behind the scenes.

As always we particularly thank our authors, who provide us with excellent material for publication.

One of the most important editorial tasks is to have papers refereed. The Editors would like to say 'thank you', therefore, to the following people who refereed manuscripts that were published during 2011:

Gary Backhouse
Geoff Brown
Nick Clemann
David De Angelis
Maria Gibson
Linden Gillbank
Graeme Gillespie
Scott Ginn
Richard Loyn

Angus Martin
Liz Morris
Tim New
Martin O'Brien
Gary Presland
Tarmo Raadik
David Ratkowsky
Graeme Watson
Alan Yen

The Victorian Naturalist publishes articles for a wide and varied audience. We have a team of dedicated proofreaders who help with the readability and expression of our articles. Our thanks in this regard go to:

Andrea Ballinger
Lucy Bastecky
Ken Bell
Melanie Birtchnell
Leon Costermans
Arnis Dzedins
Ian Endersby
Maria Gibson
Ken Green
Pat Grey

Murray Haby
Virgil Hubregtse
Michael McBain
Keith Marshall
Angus Martin
Geoffrey Paterson
Simon Townsend
Rob Wallis
Alan Yen

Sincere thanks to our book reviewers for 2011 who provided interesting and insightful comments on a wide range of books:

Daryl Akers
Malcolm Calder
David Cheal
Leon Costermans
David De Angelis
Maria Gibson
Alan Henderson

Kimberley James
Wayne Longmore
Angus Martin
Anne Morton
John Wainer
Rob Wallis
Mike Weston

On the production side, thank you to:
Ken Bell, who prepares the annual index,
Virgil Hubregtse for editorial assistance,
Hali Ferguson for printing the mailing labels,
Dorothy Mahler for administrative assistance, and
Printers, BPA Print Group, especially Tom Markovski.